

A. Watershed Management:

10 Same as Item 1. Note: Item 1 states:

“With ample opportunity for input from stakeholders, periodically quantify the best possible water resource mix including all available supplies such as conservation, recycling, ground water and surface water taking into account levels of reliability, and watershed needs and other environmental impacts.”

Watershed Management Con't:

- 11 Include a methodology for identifying watershed restoration costs appropriately allocable to water contractors that are not or cannot be met from taxes and charges deposited in the Russian River Projects fund or from other appropriate sources.
- 12 As part of the negotiation process, review SCWA's plans for use of monies deposited in the Russian River Project Fund and consider what voice the water contractors should have with regard to fund expenditures and what agreement provisions should be considered regarding same.
- 13 Request Sonoma County to explore ways and means of addressing regional watershed management (via the Russian River Watershed Council or some other means) and, as part of the negotiation process, address water contractors' responsibility regarding same.

B. Water Supply:

- 14 Same as 10
- 15 As part of the negotiation process review information on beneficial uses being made of Russian River waters and Eel River diversions.
- 16 Provide support to State of California Department of Water Resource and SCWA in updating enumeration of all water uses being made of Russian River waters including water imported from the Eel River.
- 17 Provide support for updating Russian River model studies to calculate yield of system under various hydrologic conditions.

C. Ground Water/Gravel Mining:

Ground Water

32 Same as 10.

33 To the extent that ground water studies undertaken by SCWA benefit parties to the agreement, that the agreement provide a mechanism for identifying the appropriate portion of costs to allocate to the each benefiting party.

34 Provide that the new agreement recognizes the reliable local supply capability of water contractors. (One purpose for doing so is to assist in determining how water should be allocated during certain types of water supply shortages.)

35 Include provisions of the MOU regarding WAC approval of funding for standby local peak month production capacity projects.

Ground Water Con't:

- 36 Provide for debt financing of viable local municipal wells together with equitable repayment arrangements by the benefited party.
- 37 Expand definition of conservation to include programs and strategies that encourage replenishment of local ground water where such replenishment could reduce demand on the Russian River.
- 38 Support measurement of extractions from all large wells impacting the underflow of the Russian River or urban ground water basins used conjunctively with aqueduct water.

Gravel Mining

- 44 Provide for appropriate monitoring and periodic reports on riverbed elevations at cross-sections in the vicinity of the collectors and tracking of elevations over time.
- 45 Provide for periodic reports on caisson capacity under critical seasonal and hydrologic conditions.

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